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Lo, we heard of the same at Ephratah, *and found it in the Wood.*

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I.

Ease, *Britain*, from Intestine Jarrs,
Heav'n calls thee loud to shun thy Doom;
Prepare thy Self for Righteous VVars,
Against united Hell and *Rome*:
Hell Fights against thy Peace within,
Thy Lust inflames, Devotion Cools,
Rome's Agents urge thee on to Sin;
By Firebrands and Corrupting Tools.

II.

From Houſe to Houſe *Rome*'s Fryars range,
Their Monkiſh Luſts and Venom ſpread;
The Husbands from their VVives Eſtrange,
Defile their Souls and Marriage Bed:
Britons about your Stocks Unite,
To Proteſtant Directors kind;
'Gainſt *Popiſh* Foes renew the Fight,
VVho Boaſt they've made us Mad and Blind.

III.

If Thirty Proteſtants Renown'd,
Late Choſen Darlings of the Land,
* VVith too much Rage You Stabb and VVound,
You Pierce both Chriſt and *Britain*'s Hand:
If you *Britannia*'s Sons reform,
By kind Paternal Means and Laws,
They'll help reſiſt the *Popiſh* Storm,
And ſtrengthen the *Reformed Cauſe*.

IV.

Since in all Shapes, Forms, and Diſguiſe,
* *Rome*'s Prieſts here Maſquerading go;
This mends old Shoes, that Puddings cries,
Or ſmall Cole, to work our Overthrow:
In ev'ry Trade and Party lurk,
In all Perſwaſions fan the Fire,
Civil and Religious Miſchiefs Work,
Like *FAUX* 'gainſt Church and State Conſpire.

* Alluding only to the too ſevere and unchriſtian Reflections againſt them in the Publick London Journals, anticipating Parliamentary Juſtice.

* *N. B.* Theſe Emiſſaries of *Rome* endeavour to Inflame and Incenſe Us too much One againſt Another on all Occaſions.

V. *Britons*,